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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**JUN 13 2006**

Serial No. : 09/891,017 Confirmation : 9400  
Applicant(s) : IKEDA et al.  
Filed : June 25, 2001  
Title : SIGNAL PROCESSING APPARATUS AND METHOD AND IMAGE  
SENSING APPARATUS FOR REDUCING JAGGEDNESS ON COLOR  
IMAGE EDGE

Art Unit : 2612  
Examiner : Luong Trung NGUYEN

Docket No. : 1232-4727  
Customer No. : 27123

**PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a))**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

1. This is a petition for an extension of time for filing an Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111.
2. The communication in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested  
☐ is filed herewith.  
☒ is being filed concurrently on June 13, 2006.
3. ☐ Applicant(s) is/are entitled to Small Entity Status.  
☐ Statement has already been filed
4.

|  | <u>Total Months Requested</u>   | <u>Fee for Other than Small Entity</u> | <u>Fee for Small Entity</u> |
|--|---|--|-----------------------------|
| a. <input type="checkbox"/>            | one month   | \$120.00                               | \$60.00                     |
| b. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | two months  | \$450.00                               | \$225.00                    |
| c. <input type="checkbox"/>            | three months  | \$1,020.00                             | \$510.00                    |
| d. <input type="checkbox"/>            | four months   | \$1,590.00                             | \$795.00                    |
| e. <input type="checkbox"/>            | five months   | \$2,160.00                             | \$1,080.00                  |
| f. <input type="checkbox"/>            | An extension for _____ months has already been secured for filing the above-identified communication and the fee paid therefor of \$_____ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested. The fee for this extension (\$_____), minus the fee previously paid (\$_____) equals \$_____ (total fee due). |  |                             |

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5. ☐ A check in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ to cover the extension fee is attached.
6. ☒ Charge fee to Deposit Account No. 13-4500, Order No. 1232-4727.
7. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required by this paper, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-4500. Order No. 1232-4727.

Respectfully submitted,  
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Dated: June 13, 2006

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